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CHANDIGARH ADMINISTRATION OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE, CHANDIGARH

Order Under Section 144 Cr.P.C.

The 16th September, 2020

No. DM/MA/2020/17743.—Whereas, the Chandigarh Administration has earmarked the Rally Ground, Sector 25, Chandigarh for taking out processions, rallies, dharnas, etc. and no permission has been granted by the Chandigarh Administration to organize processions, rallies, dharnas, etc. elsewhere in the city other than the designated location, i.e., Rally Ground, Sector 25, Chandigarh and the same has been done to avoid traffic congestion, keeping in view of the convenience of the general public.

Whereas, it has been made to appear to me that certain groups of people plans to organize processions, rallies, dharnas, etc., and resort to other agitation methods in the city other than the earmarked/designated place i.e. Rally Ground, Sector 25, Chandigarh and whereas, there is an apprehension that such groups/organizations/ unions may cause obstruction, annoyance or injury to the persons lawfully employed or other general public and endanger human life and property, disturb public peace and tranquility and cause riots and affrays.

And therefore I, K.K. Yadav, I.A.S., District Magistrate, Chandigarh, am of the opinion that taking out procession, rally, protest, strike, making speeches, raising slogans by gathering/assembly of 5 or more people etc. within the Territory of U.T., Chandigarh other than Rally Ground, Sector 25, Chandigarh, would cause obstruction, annoyance or injury to persons lawfully employed or other general public, disturb public peace and tranquility and cause riots and affrays and that immediate action is necessary for the prevention of the same.

Now therefore, I, K.K. Yadav, I.A.S., District Magistrate, Chandigarh, in exercise of the power vested u/s 144 of Cr. P.C., do hereby order as a measure of emergency that the public in general or any member thereof is prohibited from taking out procession, rally, protest, strike, making speeches, raising slogans of gathering/assembly of 5 or more people etc. within the Territory of U.T., Chandigarh other than Rally Ground, Singular Not Yer 25, Chandigarh, for a period of 60 days.

Further, prior permission for organizing procession, rally, protest, strike, making speeches, raising slogans, gathering/assembly of 5 or more people etc. at Rally Ground, Sector 25, Chandigarh must be obtained from the Competent Authority, i.e., the District Magistrate/concerned Sub Divisional Magistrate, U.T., Chandigarh.

Provided that the above order shall not apply to:

- (I) The police or Para-military or military persons or any other Government servant on official duties;
- (II) The processions or meetings for which prior permission in writing of the District Magistrate/concerned Sub Divisional Magistrate, Chandigarh, has been obtained;
- (III) The customary and ritualistic procession in connection with weddings and funerals.

This order shall come into force from zero hours on 17th September, 2020 and shall be effective for a period of sixty days up to and including 15th November, 2020.

In view of the emergent nature of the order, it is being issued *ex parte* and is addressed to the public in general. Any breach of this order would invite action under section 188 of the Indian Penal Code.

This order shall be promulgated by affixing copy thereof at the Notice Boards of the office of the undersigned and publication in the newspapers having circulation in the area, through the office of the D.P.R., Chandigarh.

Given under my hand and seal on 16th September, 2020.

K.K. YADAV, I.A.S., District Magistrate, Chandigarh.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Om Parkash, s/o Thakre Singh, # 3602, Sector 56, Palsora, Chandigarh, have changed my name to Om Parkash Singh.

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I, Manoj Kumar, s/o Dharm Veer, # 103, Meghdoot Postal Colony, Sector 37-A, Chandigarh, changed my name Manoj Kumar Yadav.

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I, Chaudhary Ram, s/o Babu Ram, r/o # 2427, Sector 38 West Dadumajra, Chandigarh, have changed my name to Kamal Chaudhary.

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I, Chidghana Nand Das, s/o Bhakti Ballabh Tirtha Maharaj, # Sree Chaitanya Gaudiya Math, Sector 20-B, Chandigarh, changed my name Bhakti Vichar Vishnu.

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